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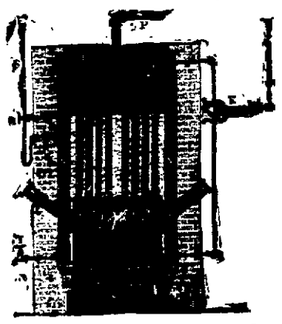
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A DAY OF DISASTERS.

Kankakee, Ill, the Scene of a Railroad Accident, in Which One Man is Killed and Several Injured.

Seven Coal-Miners Suffocated by Gas in a Burning Mine Near Shamokin, Pa.

An Entire Family Poisoned by Using Arsenic, Through Mistake, for Cooking Purposes.

Other Accidents.

SAD ENDING OF A PICNIC.

STREATOR, Ill., Aug. 22.—The Union Sunday-school excursion, consisting of fifteen heavily-loaded coaches, containing the members of the different Sunday-schools of this city, met with a very serious accident at Kankakee about eleven o'clock yesterday morning, in which one man lost his life and many persons were seriously injured. It is the custom of this association to give a picnic each year to Sabbath-school children of this city, and give them a day of enjoyment at a small cost. The excursion this year was the largest ever held. The grounds at Kankakee had been selected, and as the excursion train was passing over the Illinois Central Railway crossing it was struck by a south-bound passenger train on the Illinois Central. The Central train was under full motion, and had it not been for the prompt action of the engineer in stopping his train the loss of life would have been great. The Illinois Central engine went through a passenger car of the excursion train derailing itself and three cars of the excursion train. The Illinois Central engineer claims that his air brakes gave way and that he had no control over his engine. The following is a list of the killed and injured:

Joseph Pennant, real estate agent, killed instantly; Charles Bertram, a boy sixteen years of age, will probably die; Mrs. Lindsey, badly cut, doubtful as to recovery; Miss Jennie McTague, cut on the head, recovery doubtful; Robert Watts, arm broken; Will Mckerson, cut and injured otherwise; Charles Lindsey, slightly injured; Joan Osborne, scalp cut and cut; Mr. Garvey, head smashed; a young child whose name was not learned, is reported as dead on lower limbs, will probably die.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Aug. 22.—Fire broke out yesterday in the Buckridge mine, on the slope, 1,500 feet from the surface. The company bought the Greenback colliery adjoining, the workings of which are higher than those of the Buckridge colliery. The intention was to bore a hole thirty-six feet in length from the Greenback to the Buckridge colliery and turn the creek into both collieries, and by flooding them put out the fire. While the men were engaged in this work yesterday the gas suddenly poured in from the burning mine, and before they could escape seven men fell victims to the deadly gas.

It is impossible to reach their bodies, as both mines are full of gas and the fire is increasing. Eleven mules were lost in the flames.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Aug. 22. — Mrs. George Treese, with her little daughter and widowed mother, Mrs. Victor, lives a few miles east of this place. In preparing breakfast yesterday morning Mrs Treese took two spoonfuls of what she thought was baking powder from a box in which that article was usually kept, and put it among some flour with which she was making biscuits. All partook of the biscuits, and almost immediately were taken so violently ill as to be unable to go for assistance. They suffered terrible agony for several hours, when their condition was discovered by a neighbor, who at once summoned a physician. It was then found that instead of taking powder Mrs. Treese had put two spoonfuls of arsenic among the flour. The child died shortly after, and the doctor says the two adults can not live.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 22.—The launch Daffney, employed at the Government works here, exploded her boiler Thursday morning, killing Paymaster N. Gooden, seriously scalding Engineer A. Graham, Pilot C. D. Ryan and two others.

The Condition of the Crops.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 22.—A special dispatch from Springfield says that reports to the *New England Homestead* from three hundred and twenty-five points, covering the British provinces, New England and New York indicate the hay crop just harvested as nearly thirty per cent. less than last year. Prices are higher than last year, when the crop was very heavy in great shipping counties. Many farmers will either have to sell stock or buy hay. Cattle will therefore be lower than a year ago. The drought in Northern and Central New England has extended south and west. The make of butter and cheese in Vermont, and in the great cheese sections of New York State, will be much curtailed. No material decline in the prices of these products is therefore probable. Another week of drought will very seriously affect the milk supply of Boston and New York.

An Early Morning Blaze.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 22.—The immense veneering establishment of E. D. Albro, on West Sixth street, caught fire at 1:30 this morning. It is in the midst of the railroads, and a disastrous conflagration is feared. The entire fire department has been summoned.

3:15 a. m.—The fire is now said to be at Pollock & Wilson' chair works instead of E. D. Albro's, but the location being in the extreme western portion of the city it is difficult to learn anything with accuracy.

Lessening Contractors' Chances for Extras.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—An interesting question in regard to the construction of public buildings was decided at the Treasury Department yesterday. It is in effect that the Supervising Architect, in preparing plans and specifications for such buildings, shall be governed entirely by the amount of money appropriated by Congress for the purpose, without regard to future expectations.

Seven Young Men Saved from the Lake.

ALBION, N. Y., Aug. 22.—News has been received at this place that seven young men from Rochester, who, it was feared, had been drowned in Lake Ontario during the gale of Tuesday, have turned up all right. They stopped over at Olcott, a small settlement on the lake shore.

Valuable Property Sold Very Low.

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 22.—All the property of the Sprague Manufacturing Company here was sold at auction yesterday. What fifteen years ago cost fully $2,000,000 realized about $300,000.

THE SCOURGE.

Deaths from Cholera Fewer in the Cities but Increasing in the Country Towns and Provinces.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 22.—The report of the ravages of the cholera for the last twenty-four hours in the southern department of France is as follows: In Herault, nine deaths; in Gard, five; in Aude, two; and in the eastern Pyrenees, sixteen. During the twenty-four hours ending at eight o'clock last evening, eight cholera deaths occurred here.

ROME, Aug. 22.—The daily cholera bulletin in Italy is as follows: At Bergamo four deaths, at Campobasso three, at Castelnuovo three, at Parma one. Fresh cases reported: At Bergamo five, at Campobasso seven, at Cosenza one, at Castelnuovo three. In the Province of Turin ten were attacked with cholera and seven died. Two deaths are reported in other towns.

PARIS, Aug. 22.—There were four deaths from cholera Wednesday night at Toulon. The quarantine at Malta has been abolished so far as arrivals from Sicilian ports are concerned.

There was one death from cholera at Naples yesterday. The soup kitchens at Marseilles will be closed from September 1, owing to the restoration of confidence and revival of employment. Cholera is spreading rapidly in the northeast of France. Villagers shut themselves up in their cottages and refuse to open their doors for any one. The parish priest at Movers has gone to the relief of the almost deserted inhabitants. The nurses are sick and are unable to attend to the wants of cholera patients. The priest is compelled to dig graves and bury the dead almost single handed.

At Puits de Bon, department of the Yonne, an average of two persons daily die of cholera; the panic there is intense. Laborers have abandoned their work in the harvest fields.

An Example to Other Patriots.

BOSTON, Aug. 22.—The National Executive Committee of the National League of America has held two secret meetings. The President, Patrick Egan, announced that he had selected the following National Council: M. V. Gannon, of Iowa; Michael Boland, of California; Timothy Mooney, of Louisiana; Thomas Flatley, of Massachusetts; M. D. Holmes, of New Jersey; Judge J. G. Donnelly, of Wisconsin, and Hugh J. Carroll, of Rhode Island. He then presented the following communication:

Gentlemen of the National Committee. When I accept the position of President of the Irish National League of America I was not aware of the amendment to the constitution passed at an earlier part of the day, that an amount not exceed in $1,000 shall be annually appropriated out of the general funds of the League to make party the President of the National League for his time and services in the cause. I desire to say that in the future, as in the past, my services will be given to the cause of Ireland gratuitously, and on no consideration will I accept any indemnity or remuneration from the League.

Yours respectfully,

PATRICK EGAN.

Lawyers' Convention at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 22.—At the meeting of the American Bar Association yesterday morning Judge John F. Dillon of New York, delivered an address on the subject of the "General Character of American Institutions and Laws." He said that every nation must adhere to some great principle, and that principle in our Government was the absolute civil and political equality of all its citizens. By this fundamental principle we must stand or fall. He considered our system of laws and its workings were consonant with our political institutions, and declared that common law, including equity, was the groundwork of the whole system of American jurisprudence. Taking our law and equity systems as they exist in this country and in England, he believed it to be the most splendid structure of law as applied to the affairs of mankind that the world had ever seen.

Louis Meyer's Novel Mode of Suicide.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Louis Meyer, a German butcher in Winfield, N. J., and a suicidal monomaniac, after revolving in his mind the various known modes of self-murder resolved to discard them all. The thought at last occurred to him that in the history of suicides he had never heard anything of a man deliberately freezing himself to death. To be the first of those who died that way would seem to be an honor, and he quickly acted on the suggestion of his mind. He locked himself up in the large ice-box of his store, and while the temperature without was wandering among the nineties his blood froze, and the sleep of death came upon him.

Prefers Her Husband to the Convent.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 22.—John C. Calhoun, grand nephew of the famous statesman, arrived in this city a few days ago, and yesterday he went to the Convent of the Good Shepherd, on Seventeenth and Chestnut streets, and recovered his wife, from whom he had been separated four years. After the separation she entered the convent and took the name of Rosalie. He went to Texas, but sighed for his lost wife, and returned and reclaimed her. The wife expressed a desire to again return to her husband, and another ceremony was performed yesterday morning in the chapel.

Oil-Producers Restrict the Output.

OIL CITY, Pa., Aug. 22.—A large and enthusiastic meeting of oil-producers held yesterday unanimously resolved to stop the drill until January 1, 1885. This will control the production to a great extent, as seven-eighths of the producing wells and drillable territory is in the hands of members of the association. One of the speakers thought he saw two dollar oil in the near future. The effects of this are already seen in oil closing to-night at eighty-five cents, the highest figure touched since May 15.

Memories of the Past Awakened.

MACON, Ga., Aug. 22.—At the reunion here yesterday of the Fifth Georgia Regiment, an address of welcome was delivered by Congressman Thomas Hardeman. The feature of the meeting was the restoration of the battle-flag captured at the battle of Coosahatchee in 1864 by the Fifty-sixth New York Regiment. It was presented by L. C. Young, of that regiment, and was followed by a touching scene. Captain Kidd, who was to receive the flag, was so overcome by emotion that he could only reply in a few appropriate words.

End of the Bricklayers Strike.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The strike of Union bricklayers will be declared ended on Saturday morning next and the daily meetings discontinued. At seven o'clock this morning the last batch of unemployed men were sent to a job, and a number of orders for help coming later could not be filled. For the present, at least, the nine-hour system will prevail, but builders say they will not start any new jobs this year

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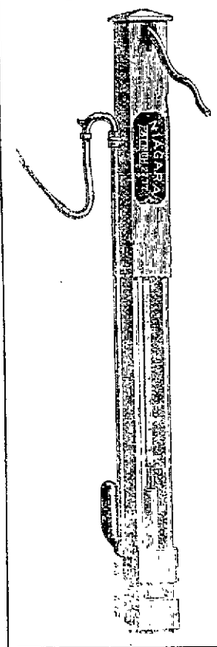
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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The democrats of Macon county will meet in representative convention at the court house in Decatur on

Thursday, August 28th, 1884,

at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates on each, as follows: For circuit clerk, states attorney, coroner, and representative in the general assembly for the 28th district.

For the election of delegates as above denoted the democracy of the county are requested to send delegates—three at large for each precinct, and one for each 50 votes or fraction thereof cast for Hancock.

The various precincts will be entitled to delegates as follows:

Decatur—1st	11
" 2d	7
" 3d	7
" 4th	7
Austin	3
Blue Mound	5
Friends Creek	7
Hickory	7
Harristown	7
Illini	7
Long Creek	7
Macon	7
Maroa	8
Milam	4
Mt. Zion	7
Niantic	7
Oakley	6
Pleasant View	5
Wheatland	7
Whitmore	6

Chairmen of township committees are requested to call meetings at once for the election of delegates, and see that their precincts are fully represented. By order of democratic county central committee. B. K. DURFEE,
R. E. PRATT, Sec. Chairman.
Decatur, Illinois, August 14, 1884.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Democracy of the counties comprising the 11th Congressional District of the State of Illinois, are requested to send delegates to the Democratic Convention which will be held at

—CLINTON,—

ON TUESDAY, SEPT. 9, 1884, at 10 o'clock, P. M for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress and a candidate for Board of Equalization, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

The counties comprising the district are entitled to one delegate for each 300 votes cast for Hancock and English in 1880, and one delegate for each fraction thereof of 150 votes, and over the counties votes and delegates, being as follows:

Counties.	Votes.	Delegates
DeWitt	1815	6
Logan	2887	6
Macon	3468	1
McLean	5202	1
Piatt	1885	

By order of the
DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE.
ISAAC VANORDSTRAND, Chairman.

Announcements.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

The friends of Robert H. Hill, of Blue Mound Township, will present his name before the Democratic county convention, as a candidate for Representative in the State Legislature.

We are authorized to announce the name of James M. Graham, of Niantic, as a candidate for Representative from this, the 29th Senatorial District, subject to the approval of the Democratic county convention.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

Emanuel Friedman, of Maroa, is hereby announced as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Macon county Democratic convention,

FOR CORONER.

Peter Perl is hereby announced as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of democratic county convention.

"WE go forth not merely to gain a partisan advantage, but pledged to give to those who trust us the utmost benefits of a pure and honest administration of national affairs.—[Grover Cleveland.

THE first term of the United States court at Indianapolis will be held in November, and it is overcrowded with business. Mr. Blaine was not anxious for a speedy trial, or he would have brought his case in a state court.

THE New York World says that if Mr. Logan seriously thinks he is going to preside over the senate in which such men as Bayard and Sherman sit, he had better go to some good night school from now till next March.

WHEN Mr. Blaine was speaker of the House of Representatives he appointed Ben Butler as chairman of the committee on civil service reforms. This was intended probably as a bit of sly humor on the part of the "magnetic" statesman. Verily they are both reformers.

THE Bellville Zeitung, which has always been a republican paper; is now heartily supporting the democratic ticket. It gives the figures to show that the probabilities are in favor of the election of Harrison for governor. It says that while Hancock only had 30 majority in St. Clair county, that Cleveland and Harrison will carry it by from 1,500 to 2,000. Cook county gave Garfield 10,500 majority and that Harrison will now carry it by the same majority, making a change of over 20,000 votes in Cook county alone. It says that this is but a fair indication of the changes in counties where there is a large liberal German vote that has heretofore been cast for the republican ticket. Carter Harrison's assurance that he will be the next governor is therefore not an idle boast.

THE New York Evening Telegram of August 18th, says: "The total number of republicans who will vote for Cleveland in this State, according to the estimate based on the state committee reports, will not be less than 40,000, and may reach 70,000. Other blank forms have been sent out with ten spaces for the names of young active democrats, who will form a democratic club of ten in every election district. To these are forwarded all documents, pamphlets, circulars and printed copies of speeches of the prominent speakers in the canvass. In this way the campaign literature is deseminated into every nook and corner of the state. It was pointed out that this was the plan first adopted in 1874, when Tilden ran for Governor, but with the exception of the election in 1882, the scheme has never since been so throughly carried out as in the present campaign. It was actually set in motion the very day after the nomination of Cleveland at Chicago. The only difference in the operation of the present plan from that of the original scheme is the change from school districts to election districts, The reports from every election district in the state outside the cities will probably be completed by the middle of the month.

ON the 23d of May, 1884, (do not overlook the date) the St. Louis Globe-Democrat said of Mr. Blaine:

Blaine cannot carry the full strength of the republican party to begin with, and his repulsive, rotten record will repel the independents or detached voters. He is an unclean man and the people will not have him. To nominate him would be to court defeat. He stands self convicted of prostituting the high offices he has held to build up a private fortune, of cohabiting with corruption for dishonest money. Oh, no; his record would damn him.

But we have not heard that Mr. Blaine has sent this telegram:

COL. W. R. HOLLOWAY:—I have this moment received the attrocious libel of the Globe-Democrat. It is utterly and abominably false in every statement and in every implication. Personal slanders I do not stop to notice, but this assails my honor as a public official. I desire you without an hour's delay to employ the proper attorney and have the responsible publisher of the Globe Democrat sued for libel in the United States court. It is my only remedy. I am sure that honorable democrats and republicans, alike will justify me in defending my honor and integrity, if need be with my life. JAMES G. BLAINE.

Mr. Blaine has not done this, and yet the Globe Democrat, one of the most responsible papers of the country says of him: "He stands self convicted of prostituting the high offices he has held to build up a private fortune, of cohabiting with corruption for dishonest money."

Democratic Primaries.

HICKORY POINT—At Forsythe, Monday, August 25th, at 3 p m., to elect delegates to the county convention.
J. C. HALL, Chairman.

BLUE MOUND—At Boody, Saturday evening, August 23d.
J. F. MUIRHEAD, Chairman.

WHEATLAND—At Elwin, Saturday evening, August 23d,
J. N. ODOR, Chairman.

MT. ZION—At Seminary building, Monday evening, August 25.
R. BROWNLEE, Chairman.

Camp-meeting.

The tabernacle will be kept open and used as headquarters for the several hack lines during the camp meeting. Persons can thus enjoy comfortable seats while waiting for hacks. All hacks will please call there just before leaving for the grounds.
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Camp-Meeting.

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UNDER WAY.

Commencement of the Ten Day Camp-meeting at the Fair Ground.

The Illinois Methodist Conference Camp-meeting commenced at the fair grounds yesterday, and will be continued ten days. It gives promise of being one of the most successful meetings of the character ever held in this state. Rev. Dimmitt, of the First M. E. church, of this city, has charge of it and for several weeks past given it his undivided attention in order to have all preliminary arrangements complete and give it a good start. About a hundred and seventy-five tents have been erected east of the amphitheatre and they will all be occupied, which will doubtless necessitate the setting up of more tents. They form a square, in the center of which is an immense pavillion with a seating capacity of fully eight thousand persons. Here is where the services will be held.

Yesterday a great many persons were moving into the tents they had selected and to-day there will be many more. Each train running into the city yesterday brought persons who will remain during the meeting. Among those who arrived yesterday, were Rev. Dr. Lowry, of New York, Rev. Musgrove of Springfield, Rev. Hillerby and Rev. Wilson, who have been attending the Mechanicsburg meeting, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Davis and son, of Heyworth, Rev. Webber, the evangelist, and hosts of others. Last evening there were services at the tent, which were pretty well attended, but the meeting will not be fairly under way until to-day or at furthest to-morrow, which gives every indication of being a big day.

Rev. Thomas Harrison, the celebrated evangelist, whose name is familiar to all Decatur people, will probably arrive here Monday and from that time on will be one of the principal movers in the great work. His powers as an evangelist are too well known to require any especial mention, and the hundreds of converts he made during his famous meetings a little over a year ago, will accord him a hearty reception.

Plenty of conveyances can be secured at a low rate by persons desiring to visit the grounds. Hacks are continually on the old square and streets, and Mr. Priest has kindly made the tabernacle headquarters for people desiring to take hacks to the grounds.

What Cleveland Has Done.

[From Our Society Journal.]

Had Gov. Cleveland been what the flippant political howlers try to make him out the people of this great state would not now be recipients of the benefits of much prudent and wise legislation which they are enabled to enjoy. There are over 200,000 voters in this state—and a great many of them, too, are in the ranks of the hard workers—who have great reason to know that Gov. Cleveland has been and is their friend. These 200,000 voters are to be found in the ranks of the American Order of United Workingmen, the American Legion of Honor, the Knights of Honor, the Royal Arcanum and various other fraternal societies and in the membership of our assessment associations in this state. These associations had no rights which the insurance department was bound to respect when Grover Cleveland came into office. Now they have equal rights before the law side by side with the largest insurance companies. Then our assessment associations and societies had no legal status. Now they have. Then the insurance department was an empire by itself, ruled by monopoly power behind the throne. Now that department's functions are well defined. Then a certain portion of the debts of the insured under a certificate in an assessment association, as well as the debts of the widow, could be collected from the proceeds of such certificate. Now they are exempt. Then assessment associations and societies were taxed. Now all taxation has been removed. Then no assessment association was allowed to deposit any of its reserve with the insurance department—that was a privilege only granted to the monopolists. Now all that is changed and the assessment system finds recognition equally with its rivals. Had Grover Cleveland been a monopolist or an enemy to the workingman none of these beneficent and valuable legislative enactments would have received his signature. They all received it, and this is our answer to the demagogue cry that "Cleveland is not the workingman's friend."

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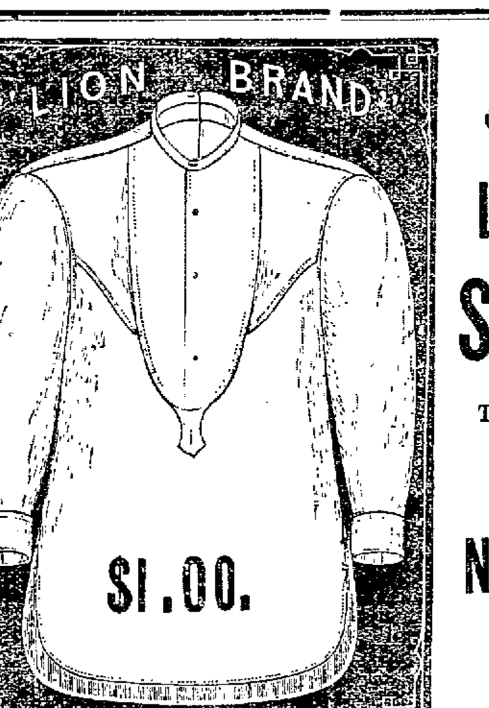
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Going East..........4:35 a m

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No. 43, Fast Line..........5:05 a m
" 47, Jacksonville Accommodation..........6:40 a m
" 45, Fast Mail..........3:35 p m
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:
Going West..........12:30 p m
Going West..........10:40 p m

Chicago Division.

GOING EAST.

No. 4, Chicago Express..........12:05 pm
" 2, Chicago Mail..........12:05 a m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 3, St. Louis Express..........4:00 a m
" 5, St. Louis Mail..........3:22 p m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 3, St. Louis Express..........4:05 a
" 5, Fast Line..........4:55 a m
" 5, Fast Mail..........3:45 p m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

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" 42, Lightning Express..........10:30 p m
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No. 2 Passenger..........5:25 a m
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No. 14 Freight..........5:15 p m

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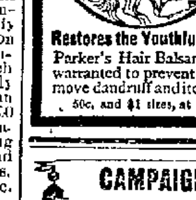
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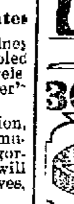
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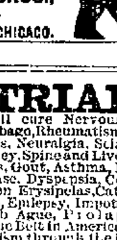


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The crowd at the camp meeting tomorrow will be immense.

The Cleveland and Hendricks Club hat at B. Stine's d&w-tf

The Juvenile Republican club was drilling on the streets last evening.

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The democratic primaries will be held on Tuesday evening. They should be largely attended by the voters.

A successful sociable was given Thursday evening at the United Brethren's church on East Eldorado street.

It was Mrs. O. F. Bernard who died at the Palace hotel on Thursday, instead of "Menard," as stated yesterday.

The dime museum will open at the opera house Monday night, and will present a fine programme throughout the week.

Miners in the vicinity of Peoria are said to be making preparations for a general strike on or about the first of next month.

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Children's and infants' dresses, aprons and knit underwear at cost at Miss Watson's. 214 North Park street. 20dw10d

For prompt delivery of hard, soft and Indiana block coal call on Bryan & Hummell, 155 Merchant St., or telephone 196. 10tf

A couple of new cars have been purchased by the Citizen's Street Railway company, of Louisville parties. They are expected here to-day.

The Methodist ministers and their families have commenced to arrive. There will be a large number of tenters on the ground by this evening.

For a good shave or hair cut, go to W. Ermentrout (late of Norman's) under National Bank. Four first-class barbers. Give him a call. 21d1m

The democracy of Dalton City and vicinity will have a meeting this afternoon to be addressed by Hon. John R. Eden and J. M. Graham, of Niantic.

You will regret after prices advance that you did not buy carpets, wall paper and curtains when Abel & Locke were selling them so cheap. a23d3t

While attending the great camp-meeting at the fair ground, do not fail to visit the great carpet, wall-paper and curtain house of Abel & Locke, and learn their prices. 23d3t

The hackmen are all working like beavers now, securing passengers to the camp-meeting at the fair grounds. They have every prospect of doing a lively and paying business.

There will be a big democratic pole raising and rally at Dalton this evening. Speeches will be made by Hon. John R. Eden, J. M. Graham, J. H. Baker and Samuel Smyser.

Go at once and see L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s Fine Gents' $3 shoes. None genuine without their name and the price stamped in the sole. Largest stock, best goods and lowest prices in Decatur. j13tf

For family groceries as cheap as the cheapest, and as good as the best, go to John T. Montgomery's, corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets Goods delivered to any part of the city. a13tf

The democrats are getting in their work in this county to a dead moral certainty. A rally is held every evening in one of the townships and excellent organization is expected from them.

The executive committee of the Cleveland and Hendricks club held a meeting last evening at the democratic headquarters on North Water street and transacted business that came before them.

A hole about a foot and a half square was broken in the platform at the depot last night by a heavily loaded truck. The platform is old and rotten and a disgrace to a town the size of Decatur.

ANIOTON mountings for harness are the best inuse. Will never rust or change their color. If you want the best call and examine the ANIOTON. For sale only by J. G. Starr & Son. j22dtf

Big drive in Gents' Low Cut Shoes at L. L. Ferris & Co's. Go there now. Also their Gents' $3 00 high cut, stylish shoes, with their name and price stamped in the sole, are new, good and unequaled anywhere. aly16d&wtf

A wealthy gravel contractor named Barnhardt, who deals with the Wabash, came through here yesterday and had a valise containing several thousand dollars with which to pay his men. When the train stopped here, he dismounted leaving his valise on the seat. While he was looking around the train pulled out, taking with it the valued valise. He telegraphed ahead and followed on an accommodation and was lucky enough to recover his property at Taylorville. He will be more careful the next time.

The Acme Dime Museum will open at the opera house in this city for a weeks engagement, on Monday, August 25th. The performers with this company are first class and there is no doubt but what they will do an immense business.

In view of the presence of pleuro pneumonia in this state, the state veterinarian has sent notice to all owners of infected herds, compelling them to maintain a strict quarantine until notified to the contrary by the state authorities.

The members of Company H received through Capt Elwood last evening, the money due them for their services at Springfield during the encampment of the Second Brigade. The thanks of the company were voted Lieut Col. Durfee for a box of fine cigars.

When the camp-meeting draws to a close the people of this county will commence getting in readiness for the county fair which will open in a few weeks. It is expected that the fair will excel all others previously held, and that for once people will be satisfied with the results. The arrangements for it are about complete.

New fall goods just received of the latest design and will be made upon the latest style. Look at the appearance of my coats on the street, and it will convince you of where you ought to get your clothes made, and that is at James Veale's, the French Cutter from Cork, 142 Prairie street. He does not deny his nationality. a9-3m

"I have both used and sold Prikly Ash Bitters for a number of years, and think it the best bitters made for Biliousness, Liver Complaints and for toning up the system," so writes W. H. Cole, Druggist, of Joplin, Mo. A single trial of this remedy will convince any person of the truth of the above. w1m.

The funeral of Mrs. O. F. Bernard, who died at the Palace Hotel on Thursday, took place yesterday afternoon at five o'clock from the hotel. Rev. Dimmitt of the Methodist church conducted the services and the remains were laid to rest in Greenwood cemetery. Quite a number of persons followed them thither.

The Illinois state fair will commence at Chicago on the 8th of September. The arrangements for the exhibition are now about completed, and it promises to eclipse all former shows of the kind. The premiums are most liberal—$4 385 being offered in the cattle department, $5,950 for horses, $5 700 for speed, $1,880 for sheep, $1,835 for hogs, and $6,015 in other departments.

In a conversation a day or so ago with O. A. Carpenter, he said, "I guess there are a good many people here who will be glad to see me go away. I believe old Mr. Burns would kill me if he had a good chance. He would do it because he is agged on. I feel sorry for the old man, because he has suffered much trouble and has nearly lost his mind. I regret that he has the feeling for me that he has, for he has no grounds for it. The men who got him here will yet let him go to want. I do feel sorry for him I don't know where I will settle yet. I have several places in view. My family will be at Sioux Falls, Dakota, for a month or so. I shall be back sometime and hope to find a better disposition towards me."—[Lincoln Times.

A dialect which the street boys have mastered is called "Bum Latin." It takes an artistic linguist to handle it, yet some of the boys can handle it quite fluently. In "Bum Latin,' words are regularly formed by taking the first letter of an English word and placing it at the end and adding a. For instance, the word father is atherfa in Bum Latin. Bum Latin would be amba atinla. Some monosyllable words, such as and, end, etc., when the first word is not interchangeable are formed by adding wa to the word, viz: andwa, endwa. As a sample of it let the first sentence of this article be transferred into it: A ialectda bichwa heta treetsa oysba ereha aveha asteredma iswa alledca umba atinla. Thus it is, and the boys can rattle it off as fast as you can count.

The democrats of Warrensburg and vicinity held a grand rally in the town hall at that place last evening, which was even more successful than had been hoped for. The hall was filled with as enthusiastic Cleveland, Hendricks and Harrison supporters as ever assembled together. C. C. Clark, esq., of this city, was the speaker of the evening and his remarks were received with loud applause and evident appreciation. Mr. Jas. M. Graham, of Niantic, was to have spoken but was detained at home by one of his children taking suddenly and seriously ill. At the conclusion of the speaking the following delegates were elected to the Macon county democratic convention, which will meet in this city on Thursday next: J. C. Tucker, F. B. Ritchie, Martin Albert, P. K. Albert, E. Faith, J. J. Brinckley and James Cochran.

Mr. L. McGuire, residing three quarters of a mile north of Harristown, will on Friday, Sept. 2d, commencing at 10 o'clock, sell at public auction, a large amount of personal property consisting of live stock, farm implements and household furniture. He offers some of the celebrated Mammont, Hambletonian and Danville boy horse stock, Hereford calves and Cotswold sheep and lambs. He will, a few days after, leave with his family for San Jose, California, where he expects to make his future home. He has resided in Harristown for nearly thirty years, having come to this county from St, Clair county.

Lowest prices made on the Democratic Club hat at B. Stine's. d&w tf

PERSONAL.

Miss Emma Weigand is visiting at Belleville.

W. M. Gladish visited the capital on yesterday.

Mr. J. H. Miller went to Chicago last evening.

Fred. Guyant, of the Central hotel has the hay fever.

Con. McCarty, of Dalton City, was in town yesterday.

L. L. Ferris returned home yesterday from a hunt.

Squire Hemphill, of Macon, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. Bankston, of Blue Mound, was in the city yesterday.

W. W. Kent, the Wabash agent at Peoria, was in the city yesterday.

A. E. Kinney returned home yesterday from a business trip to Louisville.

Rev. Bunn has returned home after an absence of several days from the city.

Herman Gableman, the Wabash auditor of Toledo, was in the city yesterday.

Guy Parke is home from Logan county, where he has been visiting relatives.

Con. McBurns, a merchant of Dalton, transacted business in this city yesterday.

E. P. Trainer and Squire Lockhart, of Niantic, were in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Pearl and Mrs. James Keyes leave this noon for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeme will visit for the next four or five weeks at Tiffin, Ohio.

James B. Brooks, of Bloomington, is in the city. He is a special post-office inspector.

Mrs. Hattie Wright, of Briggsville, is in the city, a guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Bumstead.

Sheriff Foster got home yesterday from a northern trip. Mrs. Foster is in Pennsylvania.

W. C. Alvord has taken the position of clerk under Division Freight Agent Knight, of the Wabash.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Greening have returned home from a somewhat extended trip to Kansas.

Wm. Beckinger and son, of Springfield, who have been visiting friends here, have returned home.

F. W. Stockbridge, of Peoria, agent for McCormick's celebrated harvesters, was in the city yesterday.

C. C. Clark went to Warrensburg yesterday afternoon and delivered a democratic speech there in the evening.

E. V. Hesket, the energetic solicitor of the Sullivan Progress, was in the city yesterday in the interest of that sheet.

Herman Nottleman, of Niantic, who is a candidate for the republican nomination for representative, was in the city yesterday.

Walt. Eden, son of Hon. J. R Eden, of Sullivan, and Alla Stearns, of the Progress of that place, were in the city yesterday.

Dick Edwards, formerly a Wabash clerk in this city, has just returned from Springfield, Mo, and will resume his old position.

M. L. Deck's new residence in the north part of town, was struck by lightning the other evening, but was only slightly damaged.

Mrs. Dr. Abrams, of Atwood, was in the city yesterday on her way home from Dalton City, where she has been visiting relatives.

Boyd Braden returned home yesterday from Monticello, where he has been attending the Piatt county fair. He pronounces it a great success.

D. L. Temple, formerly secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in this city, writes from Sparta that he recently buried his brother who died of consumption.

C. N. Walls, editor and proprietor of the Assumption Enterprise, was in the city yesterday transacting business and shaking hands with his many friends.

Andy Rothfuss has moved into his new residence on West Wood street. It is a handsome piece of property and Andy and his family will certainly be comfortably fixed there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nebinger and children, Blanche and Bessie, of Springfield, attended the Stadleman–Nebinger wedding on Thursday evening. Mrs. Nebinger and children will remain here several days, visiting and attending the camp–meeting, but Mr. Nebinger returned to Springfield yesterday.

Quarterly Meeting

This evening the directors of the Decatur Mutual Life and Relief Association have their second quarterly meeting. The management extend a general invitation to all the members. Office over Heilman's grocery store. Meeting at 7:30 p. m., sharp. d1t R. W. KABRICK, Secretary.

The Presidential Campaign

Promises to be lively and active, but W. A. Bridges will continue to be equally active in the interest of persons wanting paper hanging, decorating, painting or graining done. He is now doing a lively business, and his campaign will be one of artistic work and low prices. j101w

New Fall Millinery.

Mrs. K. Einstein is now ready to show the handsomest line of fall millinery goods ever brought to this city. All the latest novelties can now be seen at her store. As she buys only from the largest houses in Chicago, it enables her to show you more and better styles than any other house in Decatur. She has a first-class trimmer to do her work. Remember the place, No. 250 N. Water street—in Masonic Temple Block. d&w1w.

PEARL OF THE WABASH.

The Popular Chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers Surprised at His Home.

A more complete surprise party was never planned and successfully carried out, than the one of which Mr. George W. Pearl, the Wabash engineer, and the present chief of Division 155, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was the victim last evening. It was his thirty–seventh birthday, and the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood, concluded that so important event was worthy of more than passing notice. They therefore let Mr. Pearl's wife into the secret and prepared to surprise him, which they did in more ways than one. Mr. Pearl generally leaves here at midnight to pull the Chicago train out, and therefore retires early and sleeps until nearly leaving time. Last night he concluded to lay off here and his wife will go to Chicago this noon on a visit, but he nevertheless retired at his usual hour. While he was quietly enjoying the blessings of "tired nature's sweet restore" the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary and their invited friends made a descent on his residence, No. 986 East North street, and took possession of it. When they were all indoors Mrs. Pearl wakened her husband, telling him that Mr. E. T. Coover wanted to see him on business. He hastily dressed and upon emerging from his sleeping apartment was surprised beyond explanation at the happy and smiling faces of his friends, who greatly enjoyed his astonishment. He was in this bewildered state when Mrs. Walter Conover, in behalf of the Ladies' Auxiliary to Division 155, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers advanced and capped the climax by presenting to him an elegant solid gold watch chain. Mrs. Conover said she made the presentation in behalf of the Auxiliary and extended to Mr. Pearl their warm congratulations and wishes for many happy returns of his thirty seventh birthday. They gave the chain as a token of regard and esteem and in connection with it their thanks for the many acts of kindness shown their society.

Thoroughly convinced that he had been completely surprised, Mr. Pearl recovered himself sufficiently to express to the kind ladies of the Auxiliary his sincere thanks for the beautiful present they had bestowed upon him. He placed something more than worldly value on it as it would always serve as a memento of the good will of the donors, and one of the most pleasant events of his life. Mr. Pearl complimented the ladies for the interest they took in their work, saying that through the influence of this Auxiliary, he knew of 27 others having been formed. Thanking them again Mr. Pearl concluded by saying he hoped he would pull the gospel train that would land them all safe, and he hoped all of his passengers would have passes from the general superintendent to a haven of rest.

The following persons were present to enjoy the pleasures of the affair: Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Mr and Mrs. Wm. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs Geo. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. McDaniels, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Coover, Mr. and Mrs. James Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. C. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lindamood, Mr. and Mrs. B B. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, Mr. and Mrs Shoemaker, Mrs Ransdall; Mrs. Ferguson; Mrs. W. A. Deanes; Mrs. Bradley; Mrs. Miller; Mrs Benson; Mrs Raynor; Mrs. Conover; Mrs. Arrowsmith; Mrs Smith; Mrs. C. Mallett; Mrs. P. Clark; Miss Florence Hazzard; Miss Annie Knight; Miss Jennie McDaniels; Miss Jennie Montgomery; Miss Laura Montgomery; Miss Mollie Shoemaker; Mr. Chas. Handy; Mr. Geo. Bohon; Mr. Thomas Forbes and many others.

After the presentation, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl proceeded to make their guests enjoy themselves, and they succeeded in their efforts right royally. About ten o'clock all sat down to a table laden with splendid eatables and partook of supper amid a happy flow of conversation and laughter The party was a successful and pleasant one in every particular, and all those who were present will ever remember it with feelings of pleasure.

Excursion to Tennessee and Mississippi.

The Illinois Central will run an excursion to Martin and Jackson, Tennessee; Canton and Jackson, Mississippi, leaving Decatur at 5:35 p. m., September 23, 1884, at the usual exceedingly low round trip rates. Return tickets good for 30 days Stop-over privileges granted at all points south of and including Cairo, Illinois. Applications for sleeping car accommodations, descriptive pamphlets and excursion bills, giving rates, time of train, etc., should be made to the undersigned, at Manchester, Ia. J. F. MERRY, Gen. West. Pass. Agt. 3t

Millinery at cost from August 20th to Sept. 1st. I will sell all goods in my stock at cost, and many desirable articles for less than cost. Ladies, please call and get the benefit of these bargains.—[S. C. WATSON, 214 North Park street, New Haworth Block. a20dw10d

The Macon County Agricultural Society held a meeting yesterday at Secretary Hostetler's office to talk over matters relating to the coming fair. A visit to the grounds was paid and the improvements which have been going on for some time, were inspected. The amphitheatre has been repaired and is now perfectly safe. In addition to this a hundred new hog pens have been built. The race track has been tiled and is now said to be in better shape than it was before. Other improvements have been going on which will greatly add to the success of the fair. The board decided to make the Friday race, a free for all. They also chose Messrs. Milton Johnson, J. H. Pickerell and J. G. Willard as delegates to the State Agricultural Society, which meets in Chicago during the state fair. The admission to our county fair will only be 25 cents.

ATTENTION DEMOCRATS.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Take notice that a meeting of said voters is called to be held at Neptune Hose House No 3, in said city, on Tuesday, August 26, 1884, at 8 o'clock p. m., of said day, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the County Democratic Convention, to be held in the city of Decatur, Illinois, on the 28th day of August, A. D., 1884 and the transaction of any further business that may be brought up at said meeting.

Dated this 22d day of August, 1884.

J. R. MILLER, Chm.

KINCAID, Secy.

SECOND PRECINCT.

Take notice that a meeting of said voters is called to be held at the City Council Rooms in said city, on Tuesday, August 26, 1884, at 8 o'clock p. m., of said day, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the County Democratic convention, to be held in the City of Decatur, Illinois, on the 28th day of August, A. D., 1884, and for the transaction of any further business that may be brought up at said meeting.

Dated this 22d day of August, 1884.

R. E. PRATT, Chm.

H BALDWIN, Secy

THIRD PRECINCT.

Take notice that a meeting of said voters is called to be held at Rescue Hose House No. 1, in said city, on Tuesday, August 26, 1884, at 8 o'clock p. m., of said day for the purpose of selecting delegates to the County Democratic Convention, to be held in the City of Decatur, Illinois on the 28th day of August, A. D., 1884, and for the transaction of any further business that may be brought up at said meeting

Dated this 22d day of August, 1884.

J. N. BAIRD, Chairman.

J. M. MYERS, Secy.

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Take notice that a meeting of said voters is called to hold at the Law Office of Linn & Clark over Millikin & Co.'s Bank in this city on Tuesday, August 26th, 1884, at 8 o'clock p. m., of said day for the purpose of selecting delegates to the County Democratic Convention to be held in the City of Decatur, Illinois, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1884, and for the transaction of any further business that may be brought up at said meeting.

Dated the 22d day of August, 1884.

WM. T. CUSSINS, Chairman.

A. SILER, Sec.

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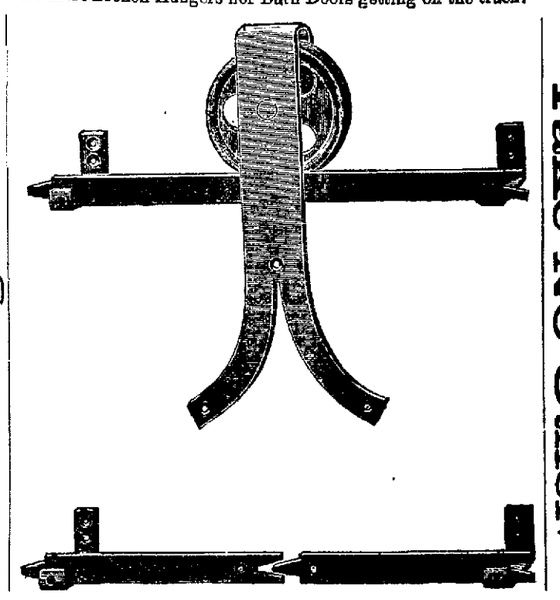
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DOCTORS AND DOCTRINES.

Whatever Cruel Creeds May Say, Truth is Always Orthodox.

"You know the old saying, Doctor. *Ubi tres medici duo athei*,—where there are three doctors there are two atheists," laughed Rev. Apollo Creamcheese the other day, to his friend, Dr. Senna, who had dropped in for a bit of a talk.

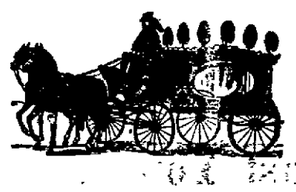
"Yes I've heard it, and I'll bet a box of pills against your dry inkstand that some priest said it. They always puttered and Latin when they had a bigger lie than common to get rid of." answered the Doctor, lighting his pipe. "I tell you ominie, you're 'way off when you think our profession isn't doing as good work in this world as yours is. They've been more'n half barbarous for centuries, but we're several lengths head of you on the home stretch."

"But, Doctor," said Rev. Mr. Creamcheese, "don't you think your fraternity shows a tendency to materialistic——?"

"Bah!" interrupted Dr Senna, "we show a tendency to human charity and common sense. The fences are all down. Why, within the past week I've had a letter from my old friend, Dr. W. V Haddox, of Pine Hill, Alabama, saying that he is using with great success, PARKER'S TONIC in his practice, and finds it the best thing for Coughs, Lung, Kidney and Liver troubles, Dyspepsia, Rheumatism and so on, he ever struck; and another friend of mine, Dr. J. J. Oatman, of Carrollton, Pa., says substantially the same thing. He's a big specialist, too, in chronic diseases, and knows what he is talking about every time."

Dr. Senna's statements as to PARKER'S TONIC are supported by genuine testimonials from Drs. Haddox and Oatman, who write to Messrs. Hiscox & Co., of New York—the proprietors—in terms of the highest commendation concerning this great restorative remedy: and letters from the professions generally confirm the opinion of these physicians. Price 50c and $1 per bottle.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
County of Macon. }

Notice to Heirs, Legatees and Creditors.

IN the matter of the final settlement of the estate of John G. Jamison, deceased, to Nancy Jamison, widow, and Taylon Jamison, John L. Jamison, Elizabeth Young, Mary Snyder, and Margaret Page, heirs at law of said decedent. Take notice that on the first day of the September term, 1884, of the probate court of said county and state, the undersigned will present to the said court his final account as executor of said estate, and ask that the same be approved, that the said estate be declared settled, and the undersigned be discharged as such executor, at which time and place you can be present if you so desire

THOMAS B. GARDNER,
Decatur, Ill., Aug. 19 1884. Executor.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

BY VIRTUE of an order and decree of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Michael Elson, executor of the last will and testament of William Cantrell, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the July term, A. D., 1884, of said court, to-wit: on the fourth day of August, 1884, I shall on the

Thirteenth Day of September,

next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: Forty [40] feet off of the east ends of lots Eight [8] and Nine [9], in block Two [2] in Bandy's addition to the town, now city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, on the following terms, to-wit: One-half cash in hand on day of sale, and the balance in six months from day of sale with seven per cent interest, the purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the deferred purchase money.

Dated this 13th day of August, A. D., 1884.

MICHAEL ELSON,
Executor of the last Will and Testament of William Cantrell, Deceased.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY, Attorney for Executor. s13-4w

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
County of Macon.

IN the matter of final settlement of the estate of Henry E. Harkrader, deceased to creditors, legatees and heirs at law of said decedent. Take notice that at the next September term of the county court, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the undersigned will present to the said court, at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, his final accounts as executor of said estate, and ask that the same be approved, and that the said estate be declared settled, and the undersigned be discharged from said office, at which time and place you are notified to be present if you so desire. ISAAC A. HARKRADER,
Decatur, Ill., Aug. 20, 1884. Executor.

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THE REVIEW

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MET DEATH AT LAST.

The Body of Samuel Lavner, of Chicago, Found Dead Under a Bridge Near Paterson, N. J.

His End Shrouded in Mystery, After Surviving a Severed Wind-Pipe, and Several Stabs and Pistol Wounds.

A Man Whose Body Was a Net-Work of Rubber Pipes Through Which Life Was Sustained.

End of a Remarkable Career.

WAS IT MURDER OR SUICIDE?

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 22.—A mysterious tragedy took place at Little Falls yesterday morning which may be either a murder or a suicide. The body of a man about twenty-five years old and well dressed, was found under the Morris Canal bridge, and near by marks of a struggle in the road, and evidence of the body having been dragged under the bridge. In a tree near the spot was found hanging to the branches a five chambered revolver, and on the ground a coat and waistcoat. A bullet-hole was discovered in the stomach of the man, and, when extracted, corresponded exactly with the caliber of the revolver, one chamber of which was empty. In the pocket of the coat was found the following letter

August —— My name is Sam Lavner. I just run away from murders. If I will die please send my body to my home to Chicago Ills 531 S Canal st to Mr L Lapkowich.
Sam Lavner
I am a hebrew
Please send a letter to my friend to Chicago, to Mr L Lapkowich

The deceased had a rubber tube in his throat through which he breathed. On his head and under his arms were found cubes which contained the holy scroll. The cubes are those worn by orthodox Jews. A theory in regard to the case is that he committed suicide and threw the pistol away after he shot himself. On the other hand, it is believed that he was pursued by some one who wanted to take his life and that the letter was short as it was too dark for him to write. A pistol shot was heard at 10 50 yesterday morning by residents near the scene of the tragedy.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Samuel Lavner was a Roumanian Jew, the story of whose escape from death at the hands of the brigands of his country has occasioned much wonder among the medical fraternity and brought him great notoriety in the newspapers of this country about two years ago. He was shot and stabbed a number of times and his throat cut from ear to ear, severing the windpipe. He was then hanged to a tree where he remained two days. When found life was not yet extinct, and he was taken to a hospital where he lay seven years. While in this helpless condition one of his people, who claimed that his daughter had been secretly married to Lavner, took possession of a valuable winegarden belonging to him. The father-in-law refused to give up possession of the property, claiming that he had kept it in repair and had held it long enough to give him a title to it. Lavner came to this country about nineteen months ago, and exhibited himself to medical colleges and societies from which he derived quite a sum of money, which he claimed amounted to $28,500. When he landed in this country he had twenty-six tubes in his body where he had been wounded. His wife refused to come to America and legal proceedings were instituted by him at Washington for a separation. Some sort of a settlement was had by which the property was divided and a divorce granted, the father-in-law being required to give bonds for $11,000.

Lavner came to Chicago about three months ago, and stopped with L Lapkowich, 531 Canal street, nearly nine weeks. Two weeks ago last Sunday he started for New York to get the $13,000 he said, which the Roumanian Consul at that city had for him. The $28,300 had been deposited in a savings bank at Erie, Pa. The bank had failed, but Lavner secured all but $1,050 by compromise with the stockholders on his journey to New York. His friends in this city say he wrote that he had been assaulted at Waverly, N. Y., and he had become possessed of the idea that his father-in-law was seeking his life, and that murderers were pursuing him. Letters from unknown parties stated that he was in a hospital from this assault, but his letters said he was a captive in the hands of his enemies. A dispatch was received by the daughter of Mr. Lapkowich yesterday from one F. G Newcomb, stating that Lavner had been stabbed, but saying nothing about his death. The lady never heard of the sender of the dispatch, and regarded it as bogus. She said he was perfectly sane while here, but the remarkable nature of his statements indicate insanity. Whether he had received the large sums of money he claimed to have received or in expectation, his friends do not know, or whether they were the imaginings of a disordered mind. This is the story as related by Mr Lapkowich's daughter from statements made by Lavner while at her father's house. His friends incline to the theory of murder by the Roumanian father-in-law or his emissaries. Lavner wrote that he had seen his father-in-law, who had come to New York about a week before. Lavner was but twenty-seven years old, and expected soon to return to Chicago, where he believed skillful medical attention would lead to his entire recovery. With the prospect of a life of ease and physical health before him, his friends think he can not have taken his own life.

Honors to a Dead Newspaper Writer.

NEW YORK, Aug 22.—The United States steamer Powhattan arrived from Lisbon yesterday morning, bearing the body of Jannarius Aloysius MacGahan, the famous war correspondent, who died at Constantinople in 1878 of typhus fever. A salute from the forts on Governor's Island greeted the war-vessel slowly steaming up the bay after an absence in Eastern waters of more than two years. Flags on the City Hall were lowered to half-mast when the body of MacGahan reached the shore. A committee of the Press Club received the remains, and they lie in state here for several days and then will be delivered to the brother City Clerk MacGahan, of Toledo, O., who will take them home for burial. MacGahan was employed by New York and London papers in all the European wars since and including the Franco-Prussian struggle, and his many daring exploits won for him a front place in the ranks of brilliant war correspondents.

The Texas Democrats.

HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 22.—The Democratic State Convention reassembled yesterday morning, and chose a full ticket of Presidential electors. Bryan T. Barry, of Corsicana, was elected Chairman of the State Executive Committee, after which the convention adjourned *sine die*.

Go to Wingate's lamp store and buy one of those steam washing machines, if you want to see the dirt roll out of your clothes without a particle of rubbing. a19

The Democratic Club hat at B Stine's d&w-tf

A BRILLIANT EVENT.

Marriage of the Daughter of General Meredith Read, Ex-Minister to Greece—An Extended Invitation List

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 22.—The marriage of Francis Stout, of New York, to Miss Emily Meredith Read, daughter of General Meredith Read, ex-Minister to Greece, occurred yesterday morning at the residence of the latter, and was an exceptionally brilliant affair. Both parties have distinguished patriotic ancestry and a high station. Arrangements were elaborate and magnificent, several thousand invitations having been sent out. A temporary addition was made to the house to accommodate the guests. An unusually large number of distinguished persons abroad had been invited, including the Queen of England, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the King and Queen of Greece, the King, Queen and Crown Prince of Denmark, Viscount John Meredith Read, Cabral D'Ghaneai, of the royal navy of Portugal, and many others. President Arthur and several members of the Cabinet, General and Mrs Grant, General and Mrs. Sherman, and many other eminent Americans were also invited. Messages of congratulation were received from President Arthur and from the King and Queen of Greece, who sent a cable message and a letter, also from the Crown Prince of Denmark, Lord Chief-Justice Coleridge, Lord and Lady Talbot de Malahide, Secretary and Mrs. Folger, Secretary and Mrs. Lincoln, and from a great many other distinguished foreigners and Americans. The ceremony took place in the alcove of the parlor. The parlor was a complete flower bower, the alcove being canopied with smilax and trailing vines. The luncheon pavilion was magnificently adorned with rare plants and ferns. Among the guests present were Attorney-General and Mrs. Brewster, Hon George Bancroft, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Griswold, Professor and Mrs Rogers, James Gordon Bennett, Count Janso, Viscount de Yaevilie, Hon. Henry Herbert, Colonel and Mrs. Beckwith, Major Bryce, Mr. and Mrs. Belmont, Edwin Booth, Miss Booth, Hon. John Jay, Mrs Jay, Chief-Justice Daly, Colonel and Mme. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte. The ceremony was performed by Rt Rev Henry Potter, Assistant Bishop of New York, and George A. Gill, rector of Trinity Church, in this city. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs Stout proceeded on their wedding tour, which will extend to Europe.

A Substitute for Human Sacrifice.

WASHINGTON, Aug 22.—A scientific correspondent of the *Evening Star*, commenting upon the discovery of relics of the Jeannette expedition at a great distance from the point of abandonment, showing the existence of polar currents, suggests that a number of floating spheres be launched in high latitudes, such as Point Barrow, and let time solve the mystery. Some of them might be lost, but others would undoubtedly float on the shore of southern Europe, and the problem of the pole solved without further jeopardy of life. The spheres should be molded from a substance that will float under all circumstances and can not be destroyed by pressure or division, such as light India-rubber covered with indestructible paint, each indented with a number in several places. Other Governments interested would take care of points off the European and Asiatic coasts.

Cubans Preparing to Rise Again.

KEY WEST, Fla., Aug 22.—The Cubans here collected in large numbers Wednesday, expecting the arrival of Generals Gomez and Macio. Their mission is not known, but it is supposed that they come to feel the pulse of the Cubans preparatory to organizing a grand expedition to free Cuba. On the arrival of the Dictator no one was on board except Don Carlos Triste, who left Gomez in New Orleans. The latter is expected here in about ten days. The movement contemplated by these officers will be nothing of the Aguero stripe, but if perfected, will be a respectable attempt for liberty by the Cubans. There is very little probability that any expedition will start from here.

Small-Pox Concealed in Wisconsin.

APPLETON, Wis., Aug 22.—The people in the towns of Black Creek and Center are considerably agitated over the outbreak of small-pox. John Baer, Chairman of the first-named town, was in Appleton yesterday, and was interviewed on the subject. He says seven families, or in the neighborhood of thirty-five persons in different portions of the township have been quarantined by the authorities. Four persons have died, three have recovered, and three are still in quarantine. There have been seventeen cases of varioloid. The authorities, upon investigation, discovered that several cases had been concealed. The Black Creek authorities have forbidden public gatherings, church unions, etc., and have closed every school in the township.

Condition of El Mehdi's Camp.

CAIRO, Aug. 21.—Advices from Dongola state that a scout arrived there from El Mehdi's camp at Lebelgader, who reports that typhus fever is decimating El Mehdi's army. Slaten Bey is with El Mahdi. Hussein Pasha, former Governor of Berber, and eighteen followers arrived at the camp with sand on their heads as a token of submission to El Mehdi. El Mehdi's army is well organized by former officers of Arabi.

Will Make the Race for Congress.

Congressional nominations were made Thursday as follows: Charles Stewart, Democrat, First Texas, John B Hale, Second Missouri, A. X. Parker, renominated, Twenty-second New York, John Braunon, Democrat, First West Virginia, John Follet, Democrat, First Ohio; Adam A. Kramer, Democrat, Second Ohio, Thomas B. Ward, Democrat, Ninth Indiana; E. P. Allen, Republican, Second Michigan.

Four Cases of Glanders at Decatur.

DECATUR, Ill., Aug. 22.—It was discovered yesterday by three veterinarians and the Board of Health that four horses belonging to J. W Barber, a dairyman here, are afflicted with chronic glanders. The horses have been quarantined and the barn, which is in the town, fumigated. The State authorities have been notified by telegraph. The discovery causes considerable alarm among horsemen.

Almost Surrounded by Flames.

EAST TAWAS, Mich., Aug. 22.—The town is now encompassed on three sides by fire, and many persons have been compelled to flee their homes. The strong northeast gale now blowing is likely to cause further destruction of farm houses and crops.

Death of Ex-Congressman Ela.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Judge Jacob A. Ela, Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-office Department, died yesterday of erysipelas. Ela served two terms in Congress from New Hampshire.

Prompt relief in sick headache, dizziness, nausea, constipation, pain in the side, etc, guaranteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pill. One pill a dose. 25c. j8d&w1m.

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WAR DECLARED AT LAST.

France Wearies of China's Talk—Officials of Both Countries Haul Down Their Flags and Demand Their Passports.

LONDON, Aug 22.—The *Times'* Pekin dispatch of yesterday says "The French Consul lowered his flag at one o'clock today. The interests of the French subjects are intrusted to the Russian Minister. China absolutely refuses to admit the French claims."

LONDON, Aug 22.—A Pekin dispatch to the *Times* says: "Tsung Li Yamen professes to be prepared for war, *à l'outrance*. They are secretly hoping, however, to involve the neutral powers in a quarrel respecting the treaty ports."

PARIS, Aug 22.—The following is the official resume of the Franco Chinese situation. Notwithstanding the successive respites granted China by France and the moderation of French officials having negotiations in charge, China has finally refused all satisfaction for the Lang Son treachery and recalled its plenipotentiaries to Shanghai. France is, therefore compelled to present China with a last summons. M. Patenotre, French Minister to China, has been instructed to acquaint Tsung Li Yamen of the vote of Parliament, and also with the fact that the indemnity has been definitely fixed at eighty million francs, payable in ten years. Unless this demand should be complied with within forty-eight hours Admiral Courbet would take the necessary steps forthwith to secure the reparation due France. The terms of grace expired at one o'clock yesterday afternoon. The charge d'affairs was ordered to quit Pekin immediately and join Patenotre at Shanghai. Li Fong Pao during the day asked for an audience with Ferry, and announced to him that he had been ordered to return to his post at Berlin. The Chinese Minister bade Ferry farewell and received his passports.

SCHLEY CONFIRMS THE STORY.

His Official Report Declares that the Bodies were Denuded of Flesh.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of War were in consultation yesterday at the navy yard, Brooklyn, with Commander Schley, concerning the Greely relief expedition. From them the following statement, relative to the recent report of the treatment of the bodies of the dead of the Greely party, is derived.

From the revelation made by exposing some of the bodies inferences had been drawn that incisions had been made in all the bodies and that portions of the flesh had been used either for food or for bait for catching shrimps. The following authentic extract from Commander Schley's report now being prepared for the Secretary of the Navy shows a portion of the remains to have been so treated, but that those of Lieutenant Lockwood, Sergeant Israel, Sergeant Linn, Private Schneider, Sergeant Cross and Esquimaux Christiansen were absolutely whole and untouched. The following is the extract:

In preparing the bodies of the dead for transportation in alcohol to St. Johns it was found that the bodies of six of them, Lieutenant Kislingbury, Sergeant Jewell, Private Whisler, Private Henry, Private Ellis and Sergeant Ralston had been cut and the fleshy parts removed to a greater or less extent. All the other bodies were intact.

A Mixed Ticket in Kansas.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug 22.—The Democratic State Convention assembled again yesterday and completed its labors. At the morning session a platform of principles was adopted which comes out squarely against prohibition and in favor of a resubmission of the Prohibitory amendment. At the afternoon session George W. Glick was unanimously nominated as a candidate for re-election. Governor Glick made a speech which was full of anti-prohibition utterances. A conference committee was appointed by the Democratic State Convention, and after conference with a similar committee appointed by the re-submissionists reported recommending that Colonel C. K. Halliday, a re-submission Republican, be placed upon the ticket. The report was adopted, after which the re-submissionists adjourned and came into the Democratic Convention in a body. The convention then nominated C. K. Halliday, of Shawnee, for Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary of State, Eugene Hagan, Auditor, Hugh V. Gavigan, Treasurer, W. A. Hutman, Superintendent of Public Instruction, M. J. Keyes, Attorney-General, G. P. Smith, Chief Justice, W. P. Campbell, Associate-Justice, F. A. Hurd. After the appointment of a Central Committee the convention adjourned.

The St. George's Union Elects Officers.

CHICAGO, Aug 22.—The North American St. George's Union elected the following officers for the ensuing year at their forenoon session yesterday:

President, G. S. Bonell, of London, Can. First Vice-President, S. C. Wilson, of Bay City, Mich., Second Vice President, Alderman W. D. Stroud of Montreal. Treasurer, Daniel Batchelor, of Utica, N. Y. General Secretary, Thomas, G. Geares, and Corresponding Secretary, J. B. Cox, of London, Can. Chaplain Campbell Fair, D. D. of Baltimore. Executive Committee, Prof Goldwin Smith, of Toronto, and William P. Wilkins, of Philadelphia.

London, Can., was selected as the place for holding the next meeting. The members of the convention paid a visit of inspection to Pullman in the afternoon, and in the evening enjoyed a banquet at the Sherman House.

Base-Ball.

National League games on Thursday resulted as follows: At Providence—Providence, 5, Chicago, 3. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 20, Cleveland, 1. At Boston—Boston, 12, Detroit, 4. At New York—New York, 3; Buffalo, 2.

American Association: At Baltimore—Baltimore, 8; Virginia, 2. At New York—Metropolitan 4, Brooklyn, 4 (thirteen innings). At Louisville—Louisville, 2, St. Louis, 0. At Indianapolis—Columbus, 7, Indianapolis, 1.

Union Association. At Washington—National, 12; Washington, 1. At Boston—Baltimore, 3, Boston, 2. At Kansas City—St. Louis, 6; Kansas City, 4.

Meeting with the Reckless Mariner.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 22.—The schooner D. A. Mader reports that on the 14th of August, in latitude 44 degrees 47 minutes, and longitude 52 degrees 57 minutes, she was boarded by the dory D. A. Dipper, Captain Slagno, twenty-three days from New York, and bound for Great Britain. The Captain spent half an hour on board the D. A. Mader, and appeared in good health and spirits. He said he had had a good time so far. One or two storms had been experienced, but he did not mind them.

Trampled to Death by Cattle.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Aug 22.—News reached the city yesterday afternoon of the death of Mrs. Jamison, of Carbon Cliff, in this county. She was endeavoring to drive a herd of cattle out of a cornfield when the excited animals ran over her and she was instantly killed.

Blessed be the man who invented sleep, and blessed be he who discovered Athlophoros for the man or woman afflicted with rheumatism or neuralgia would be unable to enjoy the benefits of sleep were it not for the aid of this great specific remedy. Mr C. S. Starr, of 28 State St. New London, Conn., writes of a friend of his, for years a sufferer from rheumatism who, after taking one dose of Athlophoros, with remarkable results, repeated it at bed-time, and was able to rest all night long. This he had not been able to do for years.

Gloves, collars, laces, handkerchiefs, plumes, tips and fancy feathers at Miss Watson's. a20dw1od

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

The International Congress of Stenographers met at Harrisburg, Pa., on Thursday.

The private banking-house of Northrop & Co., at Platteville, Wis., closed its doors Wednesday.

Robert Reichert, of Springfield, Mass., shot Mrs. C. B. Graves in the neck and then killed himself.

Ex-Senator Thomas Grady has resigned as a member of the New York State Democratic Committee.

General Pope Wallace is dying at Huntsville, Ala. He was the first Secretary of War in Jeff Davis' Cabinet.

P. J. Power, Nationalist, was elected to the British House of Commons Thursday from the County Longford.

The Cleveland Driving Park Company will give an international horse fair for speed September 23, 24, 25 and 26.

The extensive clothing house of Seligman & Rossman at Bay City, Mich., has closed under a chattel mortgage for $18,000.

The English envoys council has fixed the boundary line between Ontario and Manitoba along the Lake of the Woods and English River.

The annual State Conclave of the Ancient Order of United Workmen began Thursday at Freeport, Ill., and will continue to-day.

The soldiers and sailors reunion at Battle Creek, Mich., was addressed by General John A. Logan Thursday. Fifteen thousand people were present.

Louis C. Paxton, junior partner in a commission firm at the Chicago stock yards, has deserted a wife and two children and absconded with $5,000 and an actress.

Rains visited the vicinity of Cincinnati Thursday, and the farmers are more hopeful about the corn crop. That section has had only two rain-storms since July 24.

The Postmaster-General, after a thorough investigation of the factory, has annulled the contract with P. P. Kellogg, of Springfield, Mass., for furnishing envelopes and tags.

John King, Jr., Thursday accepted the position of Assistant President of the Erie Railroad, and at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors will assume the Presidency.

Some excitement was cause in the northwestern section of Philadelphia by the disappearance Thursday of Daniel Register, a contractor and builder, leaving behind debts estimated at $20,000.

Thursday night a fire broke out thirty miles from Wheeling, in Ohio, B., Z. & C. Road, and before assistance could arrive forty-six houses were consumed. The loss will amount to $75,000.

The directors of the First National Bank of Albion, N. Y., have been forced to suspend business owing to the continued absence of the President, Albert S. Warner. The deposits aggregate $154,000.

The Wisconsin Editorial Association, in convention at Milwaukee Wednesday, elected E. D. Coe President. J. S. Heg Secretary, and David Atwood Treasurer. The next meeting will be held at Appleton.

The sixteenth annual reunion of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, of which Lieutenant General Sheridan is President, will be held at Rochester, N. Y., September 17 and 18 (Chickamauga week).

Greely, in answer to the criticism of his course in not crossing to Littleton Island, says the tide between Cape Sabine and the island ran like a mill race and was full of heavy ice, rendering the attempt impossible.

General Canales has sold to an English syndicate a hacienda in the center of the State of Tamaulipas, Mex., for $32,000 cash, the purchasers agreeing to take several thousand head of cattle at eleven dollars each.

THE MARKETS.

Flour, Grain and Provisions

CHICAGO, Aug 21.

FLOUR—Market quiet and weak. Winter Wheat Flour $4 50@5 25, spring $3 75@4 50, low grades $2 00@3 25. Patents $5 25@5 75, Rye Flour, $3 00@3 40.

WHEAT—Easier and quiet. No 2 Spring 77⅞@79¼c, No 3 64@66c, Rejected 50c. No 2 Red 83c. No 3 72@74½c. No 2 Spring September, 78⅛@79c. October, 80¼@80⅛c.

CORN—Active and prices ruled higher. No 2 ranged at 53¼@55½c for cash, 53¼@53¾c for August, 52⅛@53¾c for September, 51½c for October, 41⅞@43½c for the year, and 45⅛@43⅛c for May. Rejected, 48¾@49c.

OATS—Quiet but steady at 25¾@25⅞c for August, 25⅛c for September, 28¾@29¼c for May.

RYE—Steady at 56½c for cash, 55¾c for August, and 54¾c for September.

BARLEY—Nominal at 65½c for October, September was offered at 64c.

MESS PORK—Quiet but firmer, and prices steady, ranging at $19 00@19 50 for cash, $17 00 for August, $21 50@22.00 for September, $20 00@20 25 for October and $14.30@14 40 for the year.

LARD—Prices ruled easier, ranging at $7 50@7 55 for cash, $7 50@7 55 for August, $7 52½@7 62½ for September, and $7 62½@7 70 for October delivery.

BUTTER—Market dull. Creamery, good to choice, 18@19c. Dairy good to choice 13@15c.

CHEESE—Market quiet. Full Cream Cheddar, 9@9½c, Skimmed Cheddar, 2@6c.

EGGS—Sales were made at 13½@14c for fresh lots.

NEW YORK, Aug 21.

FLOUR—Steady and moderately active.

WHEAT—⅛@½c lower and very irregular. No 2 Red September, 89⅛@90¼c, October, 91⅛@92c. November, 93⅛@93¾c. December, 95¼@95½c, January, 97@97¼c; February, 98⅛@98½c.

CORN—Opened 1c lower, but later reacted. Mixed Western spot, 58@63c, futures, 55¾@62c.

OATS—¼@½c lower. Western, 33@42c.

PROVISIONS—Beef quiet and steady. Pork dull at $19.00. Lard lower and dull. Steam, $8 00.

BUTTER—Quiet and weak. Western, 8@22c.

CHEESE—Dull, at 1@10¼c for common to prime.

EGGS—Western, 17½@18c.

DETROIT, Aug 21.

FLOUR—Quiet. Michigan White Wheat, $4 50@4 75; roller process, $5 00, patents, $5 75@6 00. Minnesota patents, $6.50@6 75.

WHEAT—Weak. No 1 White, cash or August 84¼c, September, 85c, October, 86c, No. 2 Red, 84½c.

CORN—No 2 cash, 54½c.

OATS—No 2 White, 31c. No. 2, 25¼c.

TOLEDO, O., Aug 21.

WHEAT—Quiet and steady. No 2 cash, or August, 81½c, September, 81½c, October, 83¼c, November, 85c; year, 80¼c; No 2 soft, 84c, No 3 do, 78@80c.

CORN—Dull and steady. High Mixed 58c, New do 57c; No. 2 cash or August 56½c asked September, 54½c, Rejected, 54c, No Grade 52c.

OATS—Steady. Light Mixed, 28c; No 2 cash or August, 26½c, September, 26c.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Aug 21.

CATTLE—Market only moderately active and weak. Quotations ranged at $5 50@7 00 for common to extra native steers, $3 50@4 50 for Texans, $3 25@4 25 for stockers, $4 75@4 50 for feeders; $3 00@4 25 for cows and $4.25@5 25 for butchers' steers.

HOGS—Market fairly active and firm for the better qualities and prices 5@10c higher. Sales ranged at $5 80@6.70 for light, $5 90@6 25 for rough packing, and $6 30@6 90 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug 21.

CATTLE—Weak and slow, quality medium, native steers, $5 60@6 30, stockers and feeders, $3.50@4 50, cows, $2 75@3.60, grassers Texas steers, $3 10@4.00.

HOGS—Opened weak and closed stronger; sales, $5 00@6.35, mainly $6 15@6 25.

SHEEP—Steady and unchanged.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Aug. 21.

CATTLE—Slow and unchanged.

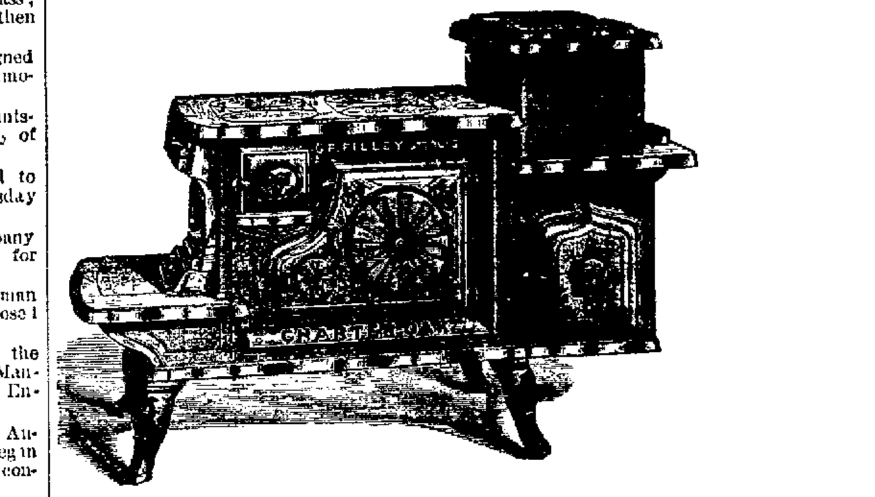
HOGS—Active and firm. Philadelphias $6 80@6 95, Baltimores, $6 50@6 60; Yorkers, $6 15@6 95, grassers $5.50@5 75.

SHEEP—Demoralized; nothing doing.

The customers dealing in M. J. Hogan's new harness shop, No. 106, corner Franklin and East Main, say that any person wanting harness cannot go out of his shop without buying or leaving an order for a set, his prices are so low. Fine track, or double brake, or coach a specialty. Repairing neatly and cheaply done. He shows up with 9 orders for light harness, all hand made. Call and learn prices. a14d&w1w

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MACON COUNTY }
Allen C. Waterhouse vs. Fannie A Brown, et. al
Case No. 11964. In Chancery.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court, at the May term, A. D., 1884, I, John A. Brown, master in chancery for said court, on

Saturday, September 20th, A. D., 1884

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois to-wit: Lot No. two [2], in block No. four [4], in H. Robinson's addition to the city of Decatur, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, August 17th, 1884.

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